#### Banks.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL ......£2,000,000. 

Head Office.....40, Threadneedle Street. West End Office ......25, Cockspur Street.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, PERSIA, CHINA, JAPAN or £13 00 ,, AND THE COLONIES. THE BANK receives MONEY ON DEPOSIT, | \*

Buys and Sells BILLS OF EXCHANGE. ISSUES LETTERS OF CREDIT, forwards BILLS for COLLECTION, and Transacts Banking and in Prospectus. For instance : after five years a on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS: Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.

ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS

2 per Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance.

H. A. HERBERT, Manager. HONGKONG BRANCH.

#### RULES OF THE

"HONGKONG SAVINGS" BANK.

1.-THE BUSINESS of the above BANK will be conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION, on their premises in Hongkong, Business Hours on WEEK-DAYS, 10 to 3 : SATURDAYS, 10 to 1. 2.- SIJMS LESS THAN \$1, or MORE THAN \$250 at one time will not be received. No

Depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3.—DEPOSITORS in the SAVINGS BANK, pared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE and having \$100, or more, at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the HONG-KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—INTEREST at the rate of 31 % per

annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances. 5.—EACH DEPOSITOR will be supplied gratis with a PASS-BOOK, which must be presented with .. each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their PASS-BOOKS, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and

beginning of July. 6.—CORRESPONDENCE as to the Business of the Bank, if marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS, will be forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7.-WITHDRAWALS maybe made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book, are

FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, G. E. NOBLE

Chief Manager. Hongkong, 1st January, 1889.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAD BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL .....\$7,500,000 RESERVE FUND ..... 4,400,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF

7,500,000. PROPRIETORS ...... COURT OF DIRECTORS :-CHAIRMAN-W. H. FORBES, Esq. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN-H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. S.C.MICHAELSEN, Esq.

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MANAGER. SHANGHAI-JOHN WALTER, Esq. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON AND COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. N CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNT A the rate of 2 per cent, per Annum on the

daily balance. ON FIXED DEPOSITS:----For 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

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America, China and Japan. Chief Manager. Hongkong, 10th January, 1890.

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the SECOND IN ORDINARY MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, on FRIDAY, the 31st January, 1890, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED on WEDNESDAY, the 22nd, to FRIDAY, the 31st January, 1890, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary:

to the Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Co., Ld. Agents for the Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ld.

, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, 16th January, 1890.

#### Insurances.

EXAMPLES OF THE COST OF ASSURANCE TO A MAN AGED 30 NEXT BIRTHDAY. STG. payable at death, would

cost at the rate of :-£ 6 18 o per quarter (a) If premiums are payable for whole of life or Lyin 6 n (b) If premiums are limited

at death if previous.\*

(c) If premiums are limited or £11 46 " (d) If the Sum Assured is made payable at age 50, or

A FTER being three years in force, each /1 year's payment of premium secures a proportionate part of Sum Assured as explained Agency Business generally, on terms to be had man Assured under plan b would be entitled to a Free Paid-up Policy for 5/20ths of Sum Assured, viz., £250, should he wish to discontinue future payments.

The same provisons if commenced at age 40 i. b. would cost respectively (a) £8.150, (b) £11.50, (c) £13.24, (d) £27.0.8 per quarter.
Note.—It is an advantage to effect Provisions of this nature early in life. By delay the rate of subscription increases; Death may occur AGENCY OF THE NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE | before the Provision is effected, or Health may fail and render the life incligible for Assurance. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

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STANDARD LIFE OFFICE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG.

Agents.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE

ASSURANCE COMPANY IN LONDON. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are pre-

LIFE at Current Rates: REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., Hongkong, 1st July, 1880. THE INDIAN IMPERIAL MARINE

INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are pre-

pared to accept MARINE RISKS at Current GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, 5th November, 1889.

NOTICE. THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED. CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS! &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the worl payable at any of its Agencies. WOO LIN YUEN Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hongkong, 1st February, 1882.

GENERAL NOTICE. THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY.

(LIMITED.) CAPITAL TAELS 600,000, \$ \$833,333.33 RESERVE FUND ...... \$318,000.00.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LO YEUK MOON, Esq. LEE SING, Esq. LOU TSO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER.-HO AMEI. A / ARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., take at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the

HEAD-OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST. Hongkong, 17th December, 1885.

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TO LET.

FROM 1st February next, Nos. 53, 55, & 57, PEEL STREET. PEEL STREET. Apply to EDWARD GEORGE.

Hongkong, 9th January, 1890. TO LET.

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INVESTMENT & AGENCY Co., Ld. Hongkong, 14th January, 1890. TO LET.

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of Chartered Bank of India Australia & Chine, Hongkong, 14th January, 1889, ....

TO LET. TO OOMS in "College Chambers." No. to, SEYMOUR TERRACE, from

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Hongkong, 18th January, 1990

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Himstons 13th January, 1 90

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Hongkong, 14th January, 1890,

THE PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 14th September, 18kg.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE is hereby given that the SECOND INSTALMENT of \$5 (Five Dollars) per Share, on CALL of Ten Dollars per Share in 1890, at 11.30 A.M., for the purpose of receiving the above Company will fall due on February 15th next, and is payable at the Hongkong and

Shanghai Banking Corporation. INTEREST at the rate of 12 % per annum will be chargeable on all calls unpaid on due By Order of the Board of Directors,

J. WHEELEY, Hongkong, 14th January, 1890. NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

LIMITED. DIVIDEND for the half year ending 30th September has been declared at the rate of 6% per annum. Coupons attached to Gold Share warrants may be cashed and dividends on Silver Share warrants issued locally will be paid on and after 15th January at the Hongkong

Branch Office. H. A. HERBERT. Manager, Hongkong, 11th January, 1890.

NOTICE. MR. GRIFFITH will shortly open his NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO on the premises,

2, DUDDELL STREET. (Between the New Oriental Bank, and Mr. Lammert's Auction Rooms), entrance from Duddell Street or Ice House Street,

In addition to the general work of the Studio special attention will be given to developing, retouching, printing, and mounting Amateur's own work. The best materials only used and the lowest possible prices charged. The Negatives taken in his Old Studio having

been preserved, copies can be obtained. D. K. GRIFFITH Artist Photographer. Hongkong, 4th January, 1890.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NIOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS in this Company will be held at the City Hall, on THURSDAY, the 23rd January, the Report of the Board of Directors together with Statement of Accounts to 31st December,

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 9th to THURSDAY, the 23rd January, 1890, (bolh days inclusive) during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors,

A. SHELTON HOOPER. Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment & Agency Co., Ltd., General Agents for the West Point Building Co., Ltd. Hongkong, 7th January, 1800 THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT use.

AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED. MOTICE is hereby given that the Second IN Ordinary MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS in the Company will be held at the City HALL, on THURSDAY, the 23rd January, 1800, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of and Doses. [118 receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with Statement of Accounts to 31st

December, 18ºc. The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED on TUESDAY, the 14th to THURSDAY, the 23rd January, 1890 (both days inclusive) during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By order of the Board of Directors, 🕒 A. SHELTON HOOPER,

Secretary, llengkong, 7th January, 1890.

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Magneto-Electric Machines for the Cure of Nervous Diseases, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, &c. Electric Hair Brushes for preventing baldness. Electropathic Belts for Dyspepsia, Rheumatism, Lumbago, &c. Electric Bells, Batteries, Pushes, Indicators,

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Hongkong, 13th January, 1800.

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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JANUARY 18, 1890.

TELEGRAMS.

PORTUGAL.

LONDON, January 16th.

A new Ministry has been formed, but further demonstrations have taken place against Eng-

OBITUARY. Lord Napier of Magdala is dead.

### LOCAL AND GENERAL

A BURGLAR who secreted himself in the house of a Singalese pearl-dealer in Wyndham Street last night, and tried to choke the chokra when he was discovered, got six months this morn-

To-Morrow morning between 9 and 10.30 o'clock the steam-launch carrying the Bethel flag, will call alongside any vessel hoisting code pennant C, to convey men ashore to II a.m. service at St. Peter's Seamen's Church, returning. about 12.30.

A BURMAN barrister in Rangoon, who applied some time ago for a license to possess a gun, but who was refused on the ground that he was not a landholder, purchased a piece of land in the Burmese cemetery measuring six feet by three. He is now entitled to obtain a license.

Ar the Police Court this morning Mr. Wodehouse fined the master of a salt junk twenty dollars or three weeks' hard labor for having hoisted sail on his junk last night at 8 o'clock. contrary to harbor regulations. The junk had no clearance papers and might have been going on a piratical expedition after having got relieved of its salt at Kap-sui-mun, you see.

CURIOUS things go on in Shanghai of which the general public knows little, and the "Hydraulic test" is one of them according to a contemporary. The officer of an ocean steamer was coming ashore a cold evening or two ago at the Hongkew Wharf, when he saw two foreigners standing in the water up to their waists, surrounded by an admiring crowd of sampan-men. Wondering what was the matter, he called out to one of the men to ask what he was doing. "I'm testing his strength for Jesus," was the answer, and with that the speaker ducked the other man under the water. The officer came on to hear the lecture on "Fools and their Follies." only regretting that he had no time to give the lecturer | He was sentenced to eighteen months' hard this novel illustration of his subject.

A CHINESE lady with a broad expanse of baldness on one side of her head sought redress from Mr. Wodehouse this morning. Her story was that some men came to her house about a month ago and expressed a willingness to borrow any dollars she might want to lend, and when she mentioned that the security seemed slim they pushed her down, kicked her, and cut off a chunk of hair with a knife, beside making her finger sore. One of the men was caught yesterday by Inspector Mackle, and was duly "put nway " for nine months.

THE annual prize distribution at the Victoria Home and Orphanage took place this afternoon Mrs. Fielding Clarke performing the ceremony very gracefully. The Rev. J. B. Ost and Mrs. Ost, superintended the proceedings, and among the visitors were the Revs. G. H. Bondfield and A. G. Goldsmith, Mr. S. Northcote, and a numher of ladies. Mr. 'Ost having read his report, which was favorable, Mrs. Fielding Clarke handed the prizes and presents to the little ones. Before doing so she said she had been over the institution, which she had every reason to think was a most admirable one, greatly aiding in the education of Chinese girls here. She had had an the Committee. If there was any deficit the amah in her service from theze, who appeared a Club night make it up. well brought up, Christian girl in every way. She then distributed the prizes. The proceedings were terminated by the children singing, in Chinese, the National Anthem.

LAST night a rumour having got affoat amongst the Chinese in the colony that a certain wellknown and substantial bank in this colony had suspended payment, all notes issued by that bank were refused by Chinese shops and money changers; not one of whom would cash even five-dollar note bearing the name of the muchlibelled bank. Even for a few hours this morning there was yet some difficulty in changing a "fiver." The rumour originated, we are informed, through a little delay which occurred in the bank in question, in cashing a large draft yesterday belonging to a Chinese trader from abroad, who demanded specie, refusing to receive bank notes for the draft. There was some sort of a "run" on the bank in question this forenoon, but there apparently being quite enough specie in the strong-room, the numbers who wanted to exchange their notes became fewer and fewer, as the hours wore on. To say the least, it was rather unpleasant for the bank officials, with whom we heartily sympathise.

ABOUT a quarter to four this morning a lukong stood in the deserted Queen's Road. Singular to say, he was awake, and, hy a coincidence, just then a Chinaman was clumbing down the scalfolding outside the new building adjoining the Telegraph Offices. The man decended lower. The lukong watched more intently. (This Jules Verne style of writing is too trying—let us suppose they have met). The climber had revolver, some cartridges, an inkstand, a Waterbury watch, two pen-knives, and a silver plate stuck in his girdle. Evidently he was undecided as to whether he should set up as an editor or a highwayman. A few hours later Mr. Schellhass, of Melchers and Co., identified the property as having been stolen from his room that night, and a constable recognised the thief as the party who nearly broke his neck last July whilst burgling Mr. Grant-Smith's house in West Terrace. Mr. Wodehouse held that editing was a hollow mockery, highway robbery only permitted on the Rialto, and this Charles Perce pidgin could not be allowed anyhow, so he remanded the case.

SUPREME COURT

IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. (Before Acting Chief Justice Fielding

Clarke.) G. P. Pasqual, E. J. Hagen, Ernest Alfred Thimm, G. M. de Carvalho, F. A. C. Hahn, and

#### F. Maitland, A STRANGE VERDICT.

A well-dressed but very unprepossessing-looking Chinaman was indicted for obtaining \$200 and a lot of jewelry from a kept-woman, by false pretences.—The Acting Attorney-General, (Mr. A. J. Leach) prosecuted .- Ample evidence was given that the prisoner had been living on the woman for months, borrowing her money and jewelry on the most extravagant promises, until at length she became desperate, and gave him

The prisoner, in defence, made a rambling denial of the charge. His lordship summed up a good deal in favor

of the prisoner, directing the jury, in effect, that where such obviously absurd promises were made there could be no false pretence. The result was that the jury unanimously returned a verdict of "Not guilty."

### THE STABBING CASE.

Exel Gunderson, a Swedish sailor, pleaded "not guilty" to an indictment charging him with wounding P. C. Jewar Singh on Boxing Day. In defence he said that he didn't know any thing about it. He was found guilty of assault, and sentenced to six months' hard labor.

### . A POLICEMAN IN THE DOCK.

P.C. 633, Summa, was indicted for stealing a fowl, the property of a Chinaman, at Shaukiwan, on the 22nd ult.-The Acting Attorney-General prosecuted, and Mr. Pollock, instructed by Mr.

Hastings defended. The defence was that the prisoner had bought four fowls one of which escaped. Acting from information received he had gone to the complainart's house and there took a fawl which he hought was the one that had escaped, but for which he was charged with having stolen.

Several witnesses were called for the defence.

### The jury gave a verdict of "not guilty,"

ADJOURNED. At the conclusion of this case, the Attorney-General stated that he wished to withdraw two of the cases, owing to want of info mation. Another case—that of .robbery on the highway. General asked to be allowed to stand over and robbed in Hatton Garden to-day. until the 'next Sessions. There were three prisoners, but only one had been caught

red-handed. The Acting Chief Justice thought it would not be fair for the other two to stay in jail one whole month, so he would allow them to be released on their own recognizances of \$50 to appear at the next Sessions. The man caught red-handed would remain in fail.

The Sessions then closed.

(SECOND COURT.) (Before Mr. A. G. Wise, Acting Pulsus) Judge)

LARCENY AND ASSAULT. Ho Chun and Tong Kan were charged with feloniously entering the house of a woman named Wong Ting, and assaulting her. They were

sentenced to twelve months hard labor cach. Chow-sing was charged with stealing \$10 and two pieces of clothing from the Kwan Sing Club.

THE CRICKET FESTIVITIES:

A meeting of the members of the Cricket Club was held in the Pavilion this afternoon to arrange about a Ball in honor of the Singapore cricketers. Capt. Deane, the president, took the chair, and there was a fair attendance.

Mr. Travers (hon, sec.) reported that, as the Shanghai team were not coming, the 22nd and 2 rd would be the days for the match with Singapore, and the 24th and 25th for the return match. If the latter was not finished on the Saturday it could be resumed on the Monday. The A. D. C. were giving a performance, and had kindly invited the visitors (Hear, hear).

The Chairman having introduced the subject of the Ball.

Mr. S. Smith proposed that one be given on Monday the 27th. The only question was whether it should be given by the Club or by subscription. He moved that it be by subscription, at \$5 each, and a similar amount for each guest (limited to two each) invited. Ladies would be invited by

Mr. Leach seconded. The Chairman, in answer to Mr. Fraser-Smith,

said that the Club had \$6:00 in funds. Mr. G. S. Coxon was in favor of making the Ball a subscription affair, leaving the Club only to guarantee a certain amount, say \$500.

Mr. Ezekiel seconded, but it was negatived. Mr. Fraser-Smith moved, and Mr. Powell seconded, that the subscription be \$10 each, and that the Club vote \$1.000. The Chairman pointed out that a regular bail

would cost probably \$3,000. The amendment was lost, and Mr. Sercombe-Smith's motion was then carried.

NEWS BY THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL

We are indebted for the subjoined items to our Colonial files received by the E. & A. Co.'s

steamship Tannadice, which arrived here from Sydney and ports of call early this morning :-LONDON, December 12th. Captain Jorgensen, the Norwegian sailor, who

is going from England to Australia in an open boat, has reached Pernambuco (Brazil) He is A Vi ilance Committee have captured a camp

of outlaws at Wyoming, U.S., and lynched eleven of their number. A strike has begun at all the Gasworks in South London. The Committee representing the man are trying to arbitrate with the Mansion House Committee. Mr. Labouchere, the editor of Truth, condemns the strike. The company

have engaged 3000 outside men, and will win the contest if the porters fail to block the coal supply, which the company have arranged to receive from Hamburg.

December 13th. The strikers are very active, and the police authorities permit persuasive powers to be employed, but prevent any violence. The strikers offer to accept a monthly engagement under the terms proposed by them, but the company have declined to accept it, on the ground that it is too

The Egyptian Government have entirely abolished the Corvel (statute labour) in Egypt. There were 200,000 spectators at Jefferson Davis's funeral in New Orleans

The business of the Bank of New Zealand i of a formal nature, and there is no rush for deposits, neither has a panic set in, despite the recent rumours. On the contrary, fresh deposits have been received, and shares are difficult to obtain, while at the same time they are rising. The Directors are expecting that the removal of The Criminal Sessions commenced to-day, the control of the Company's affairs to London The jury consisted, of Messrs H. W. Sampson, will be sanctioned, and they will send an officer to Auckland to examine the affairs there. They also fully endorse the view taken by Mr. Colbeck in his letter to the London Board.

December 14th. Shares in the Bank of New Zealand are quoted

at half per cent lower. The directors are very confident concerning the bank's condition, but have made full preparations to met withdrawals wherever made. The Stock Exchange ridicules the alarm. Economist say: the directors ought to meet with specific disproof and not a vague disclaimer.

The balance-sheet of the bank has been severely criticised by Reynolds' newspaper. December 16th.

Every third person in Berlin is suffering from influenza, which is spreading rapidly over the whole of Europe. A heavy fog is hampering the gas companies in

their endeavours to overcome the difficulties

caused by the strikes of their employes, but the supply of gas is fairly maintained. The Lisbon Press declare that the aggressions of Major Pinto in South Eastern Africa exaggerated, and accuse Mr. Johnston of deception. The Times and Standard insist that Portuguese aggression must be stopped, though

#### strong measures be necessary. SYDNEY, December 16th. Neil Matterson rows M'Lean for £200 a-side

on the Parramatta course. A purse is being subscribed, to be competed for by all having claims to the championship, within three months. The winner will b champion of the world.

LONDON, December 17th. . The London bankers are refusing a draft to the Brazilian provinces. All resident foreigners have been declared

citizens of the Republic. It has now transpired that Dom Pedro had arranged to abdicate on the and of December, and this hastened the rebellion.

O'Connor claims the aquatic championship, and has posted his stake for a race for £500 a-side. He wishes to row Teemer and Stansbury. Teemer suggests that a sweepstake of \$ coo shall be a ranged between Kemp, Stansbury, O'Connor, Gaudaur, Hanlan, and himself A postman carrying letters from the Cape of

December 18th. The diamonds stolen in the Hatton Garden robbery were valued at £20,000.

A great strik: of "long-shore men" has taken place among the men employed on the National line of steamers, the cause being the employment of negroes. A new plot has been discovered against th

Czar, and officers of the Royal Household arrest Sir Charles Hallé, the eminent musician, and Lady Halle (Madame Norman Neruda) will vis

Australia. Mr. C. S. Parnell, in a speech delivered Nottingham last night, said Ireland claimed the right to develope her industrial resources at her own expense. The recently-formed Tenants League, he declared, would prove a most powerful agency for the destruction of the present Government. The report of The Tymes-Parnell Commission, whatever it might be, would not, he asserted, discredit the Irish party.

December 19th. The Lisbon press charge the English at Nyassa with having murdered a Dutchman and

an Austrian, and with attempting to murder a

Owing to the unsettled state of affairs arising out of the Dock labourers' strikes, and 'the consequent injury to trade, Messrs. McLean Brothers and Rigg, wholesale ironmongers, have headed a movement for the transfer of the London shipping business to the eastern scaports of the kingdom. The s.s. Port Pirit sails from Grimsby for Australian ports in January.

December 20tb. An appeal is to be made to the House of Lords for the removal of certain features of the reredos at St. Paul Cathedral to which objection has been taken by the Low Church party.

The influenza epidemic is very prevalent in France and Germany. The Emperor William and five Ministers of the French Cabinet are suffering from the malady.

Bank of New Zealand shares have risen 10s. The pugilistic encounter between F. P. Slavin, the Australian, and Jem Smith, the English boxer, for £500 a-side, has been arranged to take place at Lille, in France.

A syndicate is projected by South Australian mining capitalists to work a process for the reduction of refractory ores by alkaline treatment. The capital is fixed at £75,000

December 21st. An explosion occurred on the 19th inst., on board a ship in Roven Harbor, in France. ship had 1600 tons of petroleum on board. spark from the pipe a sailor was smoking caused the fire. The explosion immediately followed, causing the death of several persons and damages

to the amount of 800,000 francs (£32,000). Mitchell Mohair's factory at Bradford, Yorkshire, has been burnt down. The damages are estimated at £200,000. At a meeting held in Hyde Park on Monday in connection with the strike of stokers at the

South London Gas Company's works, the murder of the Chairman of the Company was advocated by one of the speakers and the speech was received with applause. The gas stokers in North London have been

incited to strike in support of the stokers in South London. The Portuguese press charge the English settlers at Lake Nyassa with murdering Dutch and Austrian subjects. Attempts to murder Portuguese recently are reported.

The scandal in connection with a private West End Club is about to come before the Courts on a summons for conspiracy. The betting is 6 to 4 on Slavin in his match with Smith. Slavin was arrested at Margate on Siturday and bound over to keep the peace.

He afterwards started for Belgium in order to

meet Sa ith. December 23rd. The Sportsman this morning publishes a report to the effect that Slavin, the Australian pugilist, was killed in his fight with Smith.

Later particulars of the Smith-Slavin fight shows it took place at Bruges in Belkium at eight o'clock en Sunday morning. After fourteen rounds had been fought, a dispute arose between Smith's seconds and the fight was declared drawn in consequence of the disgraceful conduct of the party supporting Smith. The referee, however, refused to stop the fight, which thereupon continued, and it is reported that Slavin

The latest reports state that the fight lasted 22 minutes, during which time Smith was often down and eventually he left the ring. Slavin remained and claimed the fight. The referee declaring it to be a draw, was thereupon mobbed. Slavin was also set upon and beaten with sticks and other weapons. He was severely maltreated, | deprivation of so many months' pay ! but is now recovering.

'The report that he was killed must therefore

be incorrect. AUCKLAND, December 22nd. The Government bonded stores and armoury with a large quantity of explosives were destroyed at Tonga on the 16th December; also several other public and a number of private

THE LOSS OF THE "SPANIEL.

The Singapore Free Press gives the following details of the wreck of the steamer Spaniel Yesterday morning (8th inst.) the Sarawak steamer Adeh arrived from Sarawak bringing Captain Martin, the officers, passengers and crew of the steamer Spaniel, which vessel struck at daylight on the 21st December on Karang Laut, a reef close to the South Natura Islands The Spaniel was then on her way from Labuan to Singapore. Directly she struck, the water came pouring in by the forehold and stokehole. By seven o'clock, two hours after striking, the boats were lowered away and the four European passengers on board, all Dutch gentlemen, got into one boat with the chief officer. Mr. Morris, and the chief engineer, Mr. McCulloch. The second engineer, Mr. McRae, with nine firemen and two coolies got away in another boat, and fifteen coolies in the third. The water in the Spaniel was then level with the water outside. Captain Martin, with over 40 Chinese coolies on board, besides two Javanese women, remained on board his ship. The nearest land was about six miles away, but the people on a former occasion not having proved friendly, it was thought best to steer for the island o. Sirhassen, about twenty-five miles distant. The boat containing the chief officer and engineer with the four European passen gers landed safely, but the boat containing the fifteen coolies proving faster than the others got out of sight, while that with the second engineer succeeded in making a small uninhabited island planted with cocoa-nut trees. Next morning, however, December 22nd, all the prople who had left the ship managed to get together on Sirhassen island, where they were hospitably received by the Dato. On the 23rd December the mate, after getting a prahu from the Dato, went back to the Spanish and was engaged for several days in landing the passengers on a neighbouring island named Panjang, and in trying to save some of the luggage and cargo. On Panjang Island, ten Chinamen were found in a small kampong, all traders, and the forty passengers from the Spaniel are said to | could be located with better effect nearer the | New York) is the defect. There are some kinds have been treated very well by them. Capt. fountain head; and though it may be unprece- of display, and bustle which are only tolerable in the absence of the prosecutor, the Attorney. Good Hope, containing diamonds, was gagged. Martin and one fermudi remain on board the dented in diplomatic annals that such intention when they are on a very big scale. I admire Spaniel and refused to leave the vessel. The weather was now getting very bad, and Captain Martin was pressed to leave the ship, as the this anomaly, the announcement has everything gilding; but the glass must have bevelled mouldwater was washing right over her decks. The mate managed to reach Sarawak in a prahu, the voyage, with a fair wind, taking two days and a half. Here the Adeh was at once placed at his | tionally the reverse!-N. C. Daily News. disposal, and on the 2nd January the shipwrecked people left Sirhassen, where they had been very hospitably looked after, the Dato supplying them with rice, fish, fowls and cocoanuts during their enforced stay, For his kindness he received a present of \$140. Captain Martin was at last prevailed upon to leave the Spaniel and the remainder of the people being taken off on him, and wasidentified by Detective-Inspector | condensed into a small area, and into narrow Panjang Island, the Adeh steamed for Singapore,

arriving here yesterday morning. The passentheir effects, the remainder being spoilt by seawater. The mail of the Spaniel was saved. Messrs. Bun Hin & Co. of Singapore.

the Natura islanders. The Adeh salved some five thousand dollars worth of silver and copper coins, but nothing else. One of the passengers states that food was very scarce, and that an excellent di h was made by procuring raw sage from the trees, which, after being boiled, was then baked with lard and enjoyed, immensely. A glorious and rich soup was made from the remnunts left inside tins of preserved ments, etc. mixed with coconnut water. New Year's Eve was spent in playing vingtet un with a dirty pack of cards, and had there been a case of castor-oil they would have eaten it or rather drunk it, to such a pitch of distress was the inner man brought. At midnight, a rocket was let off and "Wien Nederlandsch Bloed," and "God save the Oucen" were sung, with hopes for better luck next year. As soon as Captain Martin left the Spaniel, eight prahus, full of natives armed with axes, started for the

wreck to plunder. One of the European passengers, who had to leave Borneo on account of beri-beri, having big and swollen legs and face, believes he was entirely cured on the island where they stopped all the time: was this surely due to the mode of living. He is going to propose to the British North Borneo Government to buy theisland, place there an asylum, and send all suffering from beri-beri He is willing to go again to the island and be manager of the asylum, and bind himself to stop there for five years, to show the people how to get rid of the sickness.

#### SOUTH FORMOSA.

Our latest advices from Formosa dated and

Ianuary are as follows :-savages in Hien-chung district, which is the most southern shien. It is said, 150 heads have fallen to aboriginal prowess. This has caused considerable excitement, for although the savages have been on the war-path for some time, and have been snatching heads here and there, even effectually closing the road to Pilam, the authorities have not felt called upon to show any particular interest in the matter. Now, however, that the district, and perhaps its city. has become the object of attack, and so many of the inhabitants from the closely adjoining parts slain, the powers that be, no doubt, feel that at least some show of activity must be

The telegraph steamer has been sent from the north, and she has taken down about 200 soldiers, while all those in garrison at Takao are also under orders to proceed to the scene of ships ran the Tea race in 1852 and 1853 amid

It is supposed that the savages are taking advantage of the general state of discontent and semi-anarchy that exists, as these tribes, the Bhotans, have until lately proved a most quiet and peace ble lot. There are various versions as to the immediate cause of the *Imeute*: one has it that treachery and aggrandisement; in connection with land purchased from the savages led to the outbreak, while another report, and this may probably figure as the official one, is to the effect that the savages have been irritated by the refusal of the people to buy any more wood from them "on account of the restrictions the Governor has put on the trade." It is not supposed that much more will be attempted even now by the General than to negotiate with the enemy, as the soldiers, at best of times in lively dread of their aboriginal opponents and their mode of fighting, are not very enthusiastic in the cause, smarting as they are under the

On the whole I regret to say that things appear to be getting worse in this part of the island. | Shanghai upper reach, and grounded on the tail been designedly spread, among the people to I though the ship came off easily, the Captain of persons, whether there is any truth in the lof course lost, and sailing eventually in Septemreport, while no secret is made of the delight | ber she was delayed in the China Sea and made sible to trace the rumour to its source, unless it harasssing worries and uncertainties at present prevalent. We hear, in all kinds of unlikely kong is instanced by people who one would think had never heard of the place, much less its form of government. If a worthy leader were to spring up it is quite on the cards that he | Chief Mate, took the first cargo of tea direct from would have no difficulty in getting many followers, though it must be said that there seems I down, of course. no want of appreciation of the tremendous odds that would have to be encountered so soon as the central government took the matter in hand. as of course they immediately would, in the event of a general rebellion taking place. Perhaps this contingency may have given rise to the report as to foreign protection being available! Be all this as it may, the mere existence of such an unprecedented state of feeling will serve to show very strongly the

lengths to which popular sentiment has run. 'Of course the great cry is ugainst taxation, and when one points out what is true, that etc., ad nauseam.

Altogether the state of matters must be giving

else in its favour to support the strong pro- ings, and the gold must be rich. bability of its being true, and at the same time. of course, a remote possibility of being inten-

CHINESE SECRET SOCIETIES.

indicted for being a member of the Triad Society. | go inland about three miles; and so there is A cloth "certificate," or "pass," had been found no congestion. In Hongkong everything is Quincey and the interpreter as being issued by streets, and the bustle and pressure are necesthe Sam Hop Wui, although neither of them | sarily great. In the absence of trade returns gers and officers managed to save only a few of were members, but Mr. Fielding Clarke, the from Hongkong, one can form no idea of Acting Chief Justice, held that, to convict, it would | the comparative volume of business in the be necessary to have proof from a man who two places; but as regards the appearance of The Spaniel was an iron screw steamer of positively knew as a member of the Society, and business, there is certainly no comparison. The 282 tons nett and 431 tons gross, owned by as very naturally, no one possessing the effect of the concentration in, and the habits of qualification was forthcoming, the man got off. | the City of Victoria is to give you the idea that The coral can be seen through the bottom. In the face of this, it is edifying to everybody is enormously busy; the effect of the She had but comparatively little cargo on read how the Chinese authorities deal with such spread out condition and the habits of Singapore board, but a quantity of valuable pearl shell, cases. A Shanghai native paper of the 11th inst. is to give it the appearance of a sleepy hollow, and some few thousand dollars' worth of silver | says that "the Ningpo Magietrate has been To some extent these appearances are deceptives

and copper coins have been left on board the I notified by the Governor of Cheklang Proabandoned ship, and will doubtless be looted by | vince that during the 7th moon this year there, a certain Pan Yu-sung was arrested, and it was found that he was a member of an extensivelyorganized secret society. Upon searching his person there were found two pieces of white cloth marked with a dark red stamp and other writing. The meaning of the words is only known to the members of the society themselves. This man was at once disposed of we are not told how, but we know what the Chinese method is. Lately at Yu Hong and Sai Fong districts, they have caught some more secret society men, also some swords and guns. Upon the persons of the prisoners were found pieces of white cloth with stamps and other writing, and when interrogated they said they, belonged to a sect at Shem Tan Mountain. Through these men the authorities managed to get hold of a leader called Chun\_Pow Sung, who had also the white cloth, bearing stamps and writing of a higher order, and he acknowledged that he belonged to the Tien Ti Mountain sect, and said that there was another sect called the Ko . Loong Mountain Society, and it was ascertained that these secret societies send their members to mix with the people as well as the soldiers. There are many of them; some are at Wenchow, Ningpo, Taichow, San-fong, Woo-ka-hainng, and many other places. .. The head of all are two Hunan men, called Hoo Erh and Ts'ai Ching Hai. The chief of the Canton people was Chang Ching, and at Taiwan a man called Poon Sec. The Governor instructs all the magistrates in the province to suppress the secret order, and see that they carry out his instruction carefully. The magistrates have now issued proclamations to all the people not to have anything to do with the secret societies men, lest they get into trouble, and they also promise that if the members of the order confess We have just heard of a serious assault by the names of their companious they will be pardoned."

#### THE OLD "CHALLENGER.

The Chinese Times, in commenting upon the death of Mr. James Killick recently, recalls some interesting reminiscences of "the good old forties." It says :—There are still perhaps some lest who remember his annual appearances in Shanshai in the good old Challenger, a ship built by Green of Blackwall to the order of Mr. H. H. Lindsay expressly to run against the American clipper Nightingale, which was pronounced to be the handsomest ship that ever floated up to that time. The English ship was not exactly pretty, indeed was quite plain in the afterbody, but astonishingly workmanlike. The two great excitement, the Challenger winning both times, and surviving to make many more voyages, all in most regular, if not in extra fast time, excepting one, which was somewhat eventful. In the year 1856 there was hardly any tea, but an immense quantity of silk to be shipped from Shanghal, which all went to the Challenger at very high freights (£6 or £7 per ton), although the harbour was full of fine ships "on the berth" for London; such was the confidence reposed in the ship and captain. The cargo was valued at three quarters of a million sterling, and included about 6,000 bales of silk. I Insurance was a difficulty, no provision having been made for such an unusual amount, and no telegraph as yet existing. Shippers had to trust to their mail advices reaching home, in time to cover. The Captain was anxious under the heavy responsibility, and in consequence did the one unseamanlike thing perhaps he ever did in his life. To make sure of crossing the bar he sailed the Challenger without a tug in a dark night from An extraordinary impression has got abroad, or | of the Woosung Bar. Here was a pretty mess, for the effect that (of all countries in the world) | would not proceed without examination of her England "is going to annex Formosa and im- | bottom. This involved returning to port, disprove the state of affairs." One is frequently | charging, and heaving down, there being no asked in the interior, by all sorts and conditions | suitable dock then available. The passage was such a change would cause. It seems impos- a very long voyage. As luck would have it, however, the silk market rose about 2/6 per lb. is born of the desire for peace and quiet from the | just before the arrival of the Challenger in London; and some of the grateful consignees. made the Captain substantial acknowledgments places, of "English beneficent rule," and Hong- for his good management. Capt. Killick's last voyage was in 1860, when he made an intermediate trip to Yokohama before loading in

### "AS ITHERS SEE US."

Shanghai. The Challenger, under the quondam

Hankow to London in 1861, being towed up and

Mr. Arnot Reid, editor of the Straits Times, spent a week or two here about Christmas, and, in recording his impressions, says:-Hongkong has somewhat of an American flavour, and it is a town of which one could say truly the most flattering and the harshest things. One might turn, for instance, to the great, solid, stately pile where the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank has housed itself, and admire it as a suitable home is unreasonable to expect the governor to give for the most important financial adventure of them protection or do anything else for the the East; or one might point to the florid mouldimprovement of the island unless they supply ings of plasterer's cement which try to pass the means, the one reply is "Look at all the themselves off as true capitals to its granite money he has got, where has it gone? Not a pillars, and ask what kind of a community cash has been spent here, the Governor won't is this where a wealthy corporation, directed come and see our wants, and he only tries to put by great merchants, disfigures a place with us off with promises and professions which he the trashy ornaments of a suburban villa? does not intend to fulfil. Why will be not dredge And in many places New York and San our harbour as he said he would, and improve. Francisco grate upon, or gratify, one's taste. For our trade; if he can't build a railway why does it is largely a matter of taste. The hall of the he not give us roads? Our money ought to be ! Hougkong Hotel, with a shaving saloon opening spent here; we are as good as the north," etc.; on one side, and a book store on the other, and a large bar and billiard rooms, and a constant succession of people (who do not stay in the hotel) H.E. the Governor considerable anxiety, though pouring through it and around it and in it, as yet we do not hear of any step being taken to might well be "located" in an American town, and doubtless many people like that sort It is confidently asserted that the German of thing. I don't. I never liked it in America, Minister, has rented a house at An-ping and and I like it still less where the means at comintends to send a consular representative there. | mand do not permit of the spacious magnificence If this step is taken with a view to push claims, which is the redeeming feature of such publicity. it would prima facie appear that the official And there (so far as Hongkong is modelled on should be first known to, and the declaration granite pillars; but they must not have stucco emanate from, its present source, still, but for capitals. I have no objection to plate glass and

The distinguishing feature of life in Hongkong, however, from a Singaporean standpoint, is that, it is life in a condensed city bustle. Both in our business and in our social life in Singapore we are spread over a large area. From the dock on the west to the tanneries on the east is at least five miles, and At the November Sessions here, a man was from the sea our business and residential quarters.

Scort's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites, for Rickets, Marasmus and all wasting disorders of children, is very remarkable in its results. The rapidity with which children gain flesh and strength upon it is very wonderful. Read the following:—"I have tried 'Scott's Emulsion' in cases of wasting in young children, and I am of opinion that it is a valuable prepara-tion for such cases. The children take it and ask for more, and the good effects are apparent I consider it far superior to ordinary Cod Liver Oil."-J. MARSHALL, M.R.C.S., &c., 143, Grange Road, Bermondsey, S.E. Any Chemist can supply it.-A. S. Watson & Co. (Ltd.), agents in Hongkong and China .- [Advt.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

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gradients for north-east winds have decreased. Cloudy, cool and rather dry weather prevalls.

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W, Dossack. Hongkong Observatory, 18th January, 1800.

#### To=day's Advertisements.

steam to Yokohama, via **nagasak**: AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"ANCONA." Captain W. D. Mudie, will leave for the above places, on FRIDAY, the gist instant, at DAY-

> E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 18th January, 1890.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, MALTA. GIBRALTAR, MARSEILLES, BRIN-DISI, TRIESTE, VENICE. PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON:

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND AUSTRALIA.

N.B.-CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULY PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAM-BURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH:

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "Cl.YDE," Capt. J. L. Parfith, R.N.R., with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON VIA BOMBAY & SUEZ CANAL, on WEDNESDAY, the 29th January, at NOON. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 4 P.M., on the day before sailing.

Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo; Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the direct route via Colombo. For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and

Passage apply to the Privinsular & Oriental STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hong-The Contents and Value of Packages are re-

quired to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to not the terms and corditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for

Marseilles. E. L. WOODIN Superintendent P. & O. 5 N Co.'s Office, Hongberg, 18th January 1900

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "BRECONSHIRE," FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may

Detional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M., TO-

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 24th inst., will be subject to rent. All claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the sathinstant, or they will not be recognised.

. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Arents

Hongkong, 17th January, 1890.

Costan's Advertisements.

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

TNFORMATION has been received from the Acting Commandant of the Hongkong Voluntee's that ARTILL'RY PRACTICE will take place from the South Shore Battery, Stone Cutters' Island, on TUESDAY next, the 21st January, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

The line of fire will be in a South Westerly direction from the Battery.

All Ships, Junks, and other Vessels are, cautioned to keep clear of the range. By Command,

Acting Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 17th January, 1889.

MISS FAIRALL begs to announce to the Ladies of Hongkong and Coast Ports that she has this day commenced Business on her own account, as—MILLINER, DRESS-MAKER, and GENERAL DRAPER, No. 6, D'Aguilar Street, under the style of B. FAIRALL

All orders will be executed on the Premises under Miss Fairall's personal supervision. DRESS-MAKING DEPARTMENT .- Ladies own Materials made up.

6, D'Aguilar Street, Hongkong, 18th January, 1890. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM. SHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND

EUROPE; THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS. ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship

"BELGIC' will be despatched for San Francisco. add at I P.M.

Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports.
All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received at. the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing.

First-class Fares granted as follows :--To San Francisco......\$225.00 To San Francisco and return, available for 6 months...... To Liverpool ...... 325.00 rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers

of the Army, Navy, Civil Service and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern

Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of to per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and

Japan to Europe. Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight of Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN.

Intimations.

Hongkong, 18th January 1890

THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING

COMPANY, LIMITED. GENERAL MEETING of the SHARE-HOLDERS in the above Company will be held in the Hongkong Hotel, on WEDNES-DAY, the 29th of January, 1990, at 4 P.M. K. A. STEVENS,

Secretary. Hongkong, 15th January, 1800. HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY,

LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE is hereby given that on and after the 20th instant, all UNPAID CALLS will be chargeable with INTEREST at the rate of 12 0/o per annum, to be calculated from the 16th November, 1889, and the same will be payable at the Company's Office.

Shareholders who have already paid the Call, but have not sent in their Bank receipts, are requested to do so without delay, together with Scrip for endorsement. CHAS. F. HARTON,

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 8th January, 1900.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. THE KWOON KWAN YEEN CHAL-LENGE CUPS, value \$200 and \$100 respectively. Also two Consolation Cups value

\$100 cach. The Fifth Competition for the 1st Stage will take place next SATURDAY, the 18th instant, at 2.30 p.m., commencing at 300 yards. A Launch will leave the P. & O, Wharf at 2 P.M., to take over intending Competitors. The Second Stage will be shot off on Saturday,

the 25th instant. A. SHELTON HOOPER, Hon. Secretary, c/o Hongkong Club.

Hongkong, 14th January, 1890.

CARBOLINEUM AVENARIUS, (REGISTERED).

A N ANTISEPTIC PAINT for the Preservation of Wood, Walls, Ropes and Ship's Tackle. May be applied to: Beams, Floors, Wainscoting, Wooden Ornaments, Eaves, Roofs,

Wooden Sheds, Farmer's and Gardeners Implements, Carts, Posts, Fences, Stables, Gates, Bridges, Boats and all Timber underground. Effectually excludes all dampness from walls painted with it and entirely prevents the crumbling away and decay of both stone and bricks. White ants do not touch wood painted with

Carbolineum Avenarius. Used during the last 14 years with the utmost success, as proved by numerous Testimonials of living authorities.

B cents per lb. For further particulars, apply to

SCHEELE & Co., Sole Agents, No. 16, Stanley Street. Hongkong, and December, 1880.

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# HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY LIMITED.

(LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.)

CONTINUANCE OF

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE,

MONDAY NEXT.

AND FOLLOWING DAYS,

WE WILL MAKE A SPECIAL SHOW

TTOUSEHOLD LINENS of every description, BLANKETS, QUILTS, &c., all greatly

Just to hand and included in the above Sale,

A splendid Assortment of Ladies' and Children's NEW BOOTS and SHOES in all the most fashionable shapes.

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THE FORTY THIEVES.

A PERFORMANCE.

OF THE ABOVE PANTOMIME ON

THURSDAY EVENING.

the 23rd January, 1890, at 9 p.m.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Reserved Seats .....\$2

Unreserved Seats ......\$1

Hongkong, 10th January, 1889.

Marine House,

Pakhoi -

and proper name is-

Tickets can be obtained at Messrs. LANE,

Notices of Firms.

HAVE This Day commenced Business as a

NOTICE.

MR. OSCAR NOODT has been admitted a Partner in our Firm on the 1st of

1st January, 1890.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned, have for some years

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monly known as, and under the name of,

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Hongkong, 27th December, 1889.

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A. SCHOMBURG & Co.

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January 3rd 1800

BANGKOK ... Rev. S. J. Smith.

... Messrs. Hedge & Co.

Agents:— Hongkong...Mr. W. Brewer.

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ADDITIONS and IMPROVEMENTS,

...Messrs. F. Blackhead & Co.

...Messrs. Heuermann, Herbst & Co.

...Messrs: Kelly & Walsh, Limited.

... The Hongkong Trading Co., Ld.

...Man Yü Tong, Hollywood Road.

...Messrs. Lane, Crawford & Co.

Hongkong, 18th January, 1890

reduced.

CHINESE NEW YEAR BANK HOLIDAY

TN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875, the Undermentioned BANKS will be Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 13th February, | CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business, on TUESDAY next, the 21st instant. For the CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF India, London, and China, C. F. ROWBAND,

Manager, Hongkong. For the CHARTERED BANK' OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA, J. ANDERSON. pro. Manager, Hongkong.

CORPORATION. G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager. For the NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION,

For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking

H. A. HERBERT, Manager, Hongkong.

For the COMPTOIR NATIO AL D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS. CHANTREY INCHBALD,

Agent, Hongkong. Hongkong, 17th January, 1990. TIONGKONG TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des As sufficient Shares have been applied for to tined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the float the above Company, the business will be CANTON .....Mr. M. F. da Silva. United States, should be sent to the Company's taken over (in accordance with the Prosectus) AMOY and Mr. N. Moalle. from this date; but in deference to numerous requests from intending Subscribers the Share List will be kept open until the 31st instant.

NOTICE.

January 1st, 1890. Abridged Prospectus. THE LIST WILL POSITIVELY CLOSE ON THE 31st INSTANT, 1890, AT 3 OCLOCK.

HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

(LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED, OF HONGKONG). CAPITAL .....\$400,000, divided into 20,000 Shares of \$70 each.

\$5 payable on application; \$5 on allotment, and the balance at call 'on 3 months' notice being given. No call will be made for at least 6 months.

Solicitors: MESSRS, SHARP, JOHNSON & STOKES, Bankers:

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

HONGKONG, 37 and 39, Queen's Road. LONDON, 5 St. Benet Place, E.C.

Applications for Shares (accompanied by a deposit of \$5 per share) must be made on a printed form, and forwarded to the Company's Bankers, not later than the 31st January, 1890; should no allotment be made the deposit will be returned in full, and in case the number of shares allotted is less than that applied for, the surplus deposit will be appropriated towards the sum due

Application Forms can be obtained at the offices of the Company's Bankers in Hongkong, Shanghai, and Coast Ports. Hongkong, 13th January, 1850.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDI RS.

HE Forty-Seventh Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETI G of SHAREHOLDERS in the Hongkong, 1st January, 1890.

Company will be held at the Office of the Com-. pany, No. 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Road Central, on FRIDAY, the 31st first ni, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Di ectors together with a Statement of Accounts; declaring a Dividend and Electing Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 18th to 31st instant, inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors.

T, ARNOLD, Secretary. Hongkong, 11th January, 1890.

· CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

THE CHINA NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS will be observed at this Office and the Kowloon Custom's Stations from the 20th of the 12th Moon, to the 8th day of the 1st Moon, at II A.M.; 19th to 28th January, and during that of the name of MOSES SOLOMON SILAS, Sold in casks of about 450 lbs. net. Price periodall Shipment, Discharge and Examination and resume the name of MOSES SOLOMON. of Cargo will be suspended. documents, and letters in such name only. F. A. MORGAN,

Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon and District, Custom House. Kowloon, 14th January, 1890.

### Masonic.

REGULAR MEETING of the above-named Lodge will be held in FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on WEDNESDAY, the '22nd instant, at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. Hongkong. 17th January, 1800.

#### Nonsignees.

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "ABYSSINIA," FROM VANCOUVER, YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 16th January, 1790.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' xisk and expense. 'CHAS. D. HARMAN,

Hongkong, 16th January, 1890.

## Shipping.

STEAMERS.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NÁGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMÁ, THE Steamship

"BRECONSHIRE,". will be despatched for the above Ports on the For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 7th January, 1890 STEAM TO SHANGHAL

Orders for Copies of THE "HONGKONG THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship DIRECTORY" may be sent to the following "PENINSULAR." will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward English Mail.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. Hongkong, 15th January, 1890.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR HAVRE; LONDON, HAMBURG AND

THE Steamship "DENBIGHSHIRE," Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, Limited, Captain Vyvyan, will be despatched on about 20th January.

For Freight or Passage, apply to Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, Limited, ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 31st December, 1889.

> CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

> Allison, Commander, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 24th January, at NOON. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the engines. Second Class Passengers are Berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating chamber ensures the supply of fresh provisions

> during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 15th January, 1889. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW CRAWFORD's on and after Wednesday, the 15th ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)

THE Steamship "TANNADICE," Captain Helms, will be despatched for the above Ports, on PRIDAY, the 24th instant, at 4 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 8th January, 1890.

THE "GIBB" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Taking through Cargo for ADELAIDE, TASMANIA, and NEW ZEALAND.)

HE British Steamship Captain Rowley, will be despatched as above, foo on the 23rd inst. This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First-class Passenger.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Managers. Hongkong, 8th January, 1890. [TOO

SAILING VESSELS.

from this date I shall discontinue the use FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship

Hongkong, 14th January, 1890.

SILAS SASSOON, and will sign all contracts, "IMPERIAL" J. E. Crosby, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to Moses bolomon silas sassoon.

RUSSELL &

### Mails.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA. ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS:

LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON. BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL A SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in

N SUNDAY, the 19th day of January, "BAYERN," Captain J. Mergell, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE& CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 p.m.

Specie and Patcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required. The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hangkong, 21st December, 1880

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER-

LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING

AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U.S. Mail Steamship will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 30th January,

at I P.M., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, and Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America. by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England

France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows:---To San Francisco......\$225.00 To San Francisco and return, } available for 6 months...... To Liverpool...... 325.00 To London..... 330.00

To other European Points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application. Passengers by this line have the option of

proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 per cent. This allowance does. not apply to through fares from China and

Japan to Europe. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des-

tined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company,

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY AND OTHER CONNECTING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS.

THE British Steamship " ABYSSINIA " 3,651 Tons Register, Lee, Commander, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., via INLAND SEA, KOBE & YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, the 6th February, at Noon.

To be followed by the S.S. "PARTHIA" on

regular Steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company and other Steamers.

France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines First-class Fares granted as follows :--

To Vancouver and Victoria...(Mex.)\$210.00 To Montreal New York, &c..... 290,00 

Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points in the United States, should be

Vancouver, B.C. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. on the 5th Feb. All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full: and the

apply to

VV FACTURERS and JEWELLERS. NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS CHARTS and BOOKS. No. 48, Queen's Road Central. 744

No. 50 A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, THE Company's Steamship Honokong, oth January, 1800

COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE,

the 6th March and "BATAVIA" on the 3rd Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast Points by the

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, of Steamers.

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#### Commercial.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS. Hongkons and Shanghai Bank-196 per cent memium, sellers. Union Incurance Society of Capton-\$103 per. China To der i Ingurance Company-\$72 per ter, sales and buyers.

t mannete-l'is. 350 per share, Canton to the concess Company, Limited -- \$130 per Insurance Association-Tis. of per

On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 150 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company -\$402} per share, sellers. China Fire Insurance Company-\$89 per share, buyers.

Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company-60 per cent. premium, sellers. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co. -\$41 per share, sellers. China and Manila Steam Ship Company-120

per share, buyers. Hongkong Gas Company-\$135 per share, sellers. Hongkong Hotel Company-\$200 per share,

Hofigkong Hotel Co.'s Six per-cent. Debentures u —\$50т. Indo-China Steam Navigation Company. Limited-12] per cent. dis., buyers. Douglas Steamship Company-\$64 per share,

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$22 per chare, buyers. Luzon Sugar Refining Company Limited-\$71

per share, sellers. Hongkong Ice Company-2110 per share, Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -\$80 per share. Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$14 per

share, sellers. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-\$23 per share, sellers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B--21 per cent premium, sellers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-5 per cent

premium, buyers. Chinese Imperial Lean of 1886 E-11 per cent Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company Limited-Sto4 per share, sellers.

The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Ld.-\$25 per share. Punjom and Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining Co. -\$21 per share, sellers! Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown

Company-\$100 per share, sellers. Tonquin Coal Mining Co. - \$450 per share, sellers. The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co., . Limited-200 per cent. prem., sellers. The Fast Borneo Planting Co., Limited-\$61

per share, sellers. The Songei-Kovah Planting Co., Ld. -\$61 per share, buyers. Cruickshank & Co., Ld. -- \$40 per share, nom.

The Steam Launch Co., Limited-nominal. The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Co., Ld. -par, nominal. The China-Borneo Co., Ld.—\$38 per share,

The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Ld.-\$18 per share, sellers. The Green Island Cement Co. (Old Issue)-\$43 per share, buvers. The Green Island Cement | Co. (New issue)-\$5

per share, buyers. The Hongkong Landinvestment Co., Ld.-\$104 per share; sellers. The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Ld.-\$4

per share, buyers, Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited-\$30 per share, The West Point Buildings Co., Ld.—\$46 per

share, buyers. The Peak Hotel and Trading Co., Ld.—\$20 per The Labule Planting Co., Ld.—\$25 per share,

The Jelegie Mining and Trading Co., Ld. \$5 per about, buvers. The Sciama Tim Mining Co., Ld. - \$3} per share,

The filameen Hotel Co., Ld.—\$5 per share,

The Kowleon Land Investment Co., Ld. \$17 per share, sellers, The Hongkong Marina, Limited-25 per cents premium, huyers.

ON LONDON.—Bank, T. T. ......3/21 Bank Bills, on demand ......3/2} Bank Bills; at 30 days' sight .....3/21 . Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight...3/21

Credits at 4 months' sight ......3/3 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' ... sight .....3/31 Bank Bills, on demand......3.98 Credits, at 4 months' sight ......4.09 On Demand......221

ON SHANGHAL--Bank, T. T. ..... 69] nom. 

## Shipping.

TANNADICE, British str., 1,500, P. Helms, 18th Jan .- Sydney 21st Dec, Brisbane, 24th, Townsville 2)th, Cooktown 28th, Thursday Island 30th, and Port Darwin 7th Jan., General.—Russell & Co.

FREJR, Danish steamer, 397, C. A. Lund, 18th Jan., - Hoihow 16th January, General. - Arnhold. Karberg & Co. NINGPO, German steamer, 762, R. Koehler, 18th Jan.,-Shanghai 15th January, General.-

Siemssen & Co. CHING-YUEN, Chinese cruiser, 18th January,-Taiwan 15th January. CHI-YUEN, Chinese cruiser, 18th January,-

Taiwan 15th January.
BENLAWERS, British steamer, 1,513, Alex. Webster, 18th Jan., -Singapore 10th Jan., General.—Gibb, Livingston & Co. ARDGAY, British steamer, 1,082, Thom, 18th

Jan., -- Bangkok oth January, Rice. -- A. G. FELBRIDGE, British steamer, 1,336, J. Ruthen, 18th Jan.,-Batavia 2nd Dec., Kerosene

Oil.—Adamson, Bell & Co. CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Benlawers, British steamer, for Kobe. Propontis, British steamer, for Kutchinotzu. Tailte, German steamer, for Saigon. Taiwan, British steamer, for Joana, &c. Kitty, British bark, for Portland.

Sin Wanzing, British steamer, for Manila. Gaelic, British steamer, for Yokohama, &c. Haitan, British steamer, for Swatow. Kwanglee, Chinese steamer, for Shanghai. Activ, Danish steamer, Touron. Amoy, German steamer, for Shanghai. Clara, German steamer, for Haiphong. Asagao, Japanese steamer, for Nagasaki.

DEPARTURES. -January 18, C. C. Chapman, American ship, for Singapore. January 18, Bentedi, British steamer, for SingaJanuary 18, Gaelle, British steamer, for Yokohama, &c. January 18, Haitan, British str., for Swatow.

January 18, Sin Nansing, British steamer, for January 18, Amoy, German str., for Manila. January 18, Kwanglee, Chinese steamer, for

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

Per Tannadice, str., from Sydney, &c .- Mr. and Mrs. Percy, Mr. and Mrs. Laine, 2 children and native servant, Mr. and Mrs. Warren and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. Millard, Mrs. Young, Messrs, McLean, Baboo, 9 Japanese, and 231 Chinese (steerage). Per Frejr, str., from Hoihow.-Mr. H. Liagne

(I. M. Customs), and 65 Chinese. Per Ningho, str., from Shanghai.-Mr. L. Swiss, and 67 Chinese.

Chinese. Per Gaelie, str., for Yokohama.-Messts. G. Bromant and W. G. Ewen. For San Francisco. -Mr. and Mrs. Fake, Messrs. C. E. Taylor, J. F. Niel, and t European.

REPURTS.

The British steamship Ardgay reports that she left Bangkok on the oth instant. Had strong north-east monsoon and high head sea.

The German steamship Ningho reports that she left Shanghai on the 15th instant. Had strong northerly winds and rain squalls down to Chapel Island; thence light north-east monsoon and fine weather.

she left Sydney at 8 p.m. on the 21st ultimo; anchored at Brisbane Pile lighthouse at 930 p.m. on the 2jrd. Lest Brisbane Pile lighthouse at 0 30 a.m. on the 24th; anchored at Townsville at 0.20 a.m. Left at 7.30 a.m. on the 27th; on the 27th; anchored at Cooktown at 7.20 a.m. Left at 10 a.m. on the 28th; arrived at Thursday Island at 11 a.m.' Left at 4 p.m. on the 30th; arrived at Port Darwin at 4 p.m. on the 3rd instant. Left Port Darwin at 11 a.m. on the 7th; arrived at Hongkong 8.30 alm. on the 18th. Experienced light fair winds and fine weather to Brisbane ; thence to Thursday Island had strong head wind and thick rainy weather. From Thursday Island to Port Darwin had moderate gale and high head sea with heavy rain squalls. From Port Darwin to Cabra Island had fresh breeze and fine weather. From Cabra Island to Hongkong had strong monsoon and high beam sea and dull cloudy weather.

### Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE

For Kobe and Yokohama.—Per Benlawers, to-morrow, the 19th instant, at 9.00 A.M. For Nagasaki, Moji, Kobe, and Yokohama.

-Per Breconshire, to-morrow, the 19th instant, For Joana and Samarang -Per Taiwan, tomorrow, the jolh instant, at 9.00 A.M. For Touron and Quinhon.-Per Activ, to-

morrow, the 19th instant, at 9.00 A.M. SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

STEAMERS. ABYSSINIA, British steamer, 2,316, Geo. A. Lee, 16th Jan,-Vancouver 15th Dec., General. -Adamson, Bell & Co.

ACTIV. Danish steamer, 355, N. C. Revsbeck, 5th Jan.,-Haiphong 1st Jan., and Holhow 3rd, General,-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. ASAGAO, Japanese steamer, 1,568, Selck, 15th Jan.,-Nagasaki 10th Jan., Coal.-Mitsui

Bussan Kaisha. ASHINGTON, German steamer, 809, Zindel, 14th Jan.,-Bangkok 6th Jan., Rice.-Siemesen

VOCHIE, British steamer, 1,034, T. Rowin, 24th Dec., -Bangkok 12th Dec., Rice. - Morris

BRECONSHIRE, British steamer, 1,647, E. S. Tennis Courts. Jackson, 17th Jan., -London 21rd Nov., and Singapore 7th Jan., General.—Adamson,

CAMBODIA, British steamer, 1,964, Wildgoose, 31st Dec.-London, and Singapore 25th Dec., General.—Russell & Co. CHINA, German steamer, 642, Bruhn, 30th Dec., -Singapore, and Hoihow 29th Dec., Gene-

ral. - Melchers & Co. CHINA, American str., 5,200, W. B. Seabury, 16th Jan., - San Francisco 26th Dec., and Yokohama 11th Jan., Mails and General.-P. M.

CLARA, German steamer, 674, Christensen, 16th Jan.,—Haiphong 14th January, General.— Siemssen & Co. FAME, British steamer, 117, W. W. Allan .-

Hongkong Government tender. FEECHEW, Chinese steamer, 643, E. Piper, 9th Jan.,-Formosa 6th January, Ballast.-

FEICHING, British steamer, 594, James Price,

8th Jan.,-Nagasaki 4th January, Coals.-W. Hewell & Co. FOKIEN, British steamer, 509, Lewis, 17th Jan., -Tamsui roth January, Amoy 15th, and

Swatow toth, General, -D. Lapraik & Co. GENERAL WERDER, German steamer, 1,820, M. Eichel, 17th Jan.,-Yokohama 8th Jan. Kobe 11th, and Nagasaki 13th, Mails and General.—Melchers & Co. INDEPENDENT, German steamer, 871, W. J.

Schafer, 16th Jan.,-Bangkok 6th Jan., Rice.-Geo. R. Stevens & Co. ungpai, Chinese steamer, 602, Clifford, 4th Dec.,-Wuhu 29th Nov., Rice.-C. M. S.

NANZING, British steamer, 808, B Thomson, 3rd Jan,-Manila 31st Dec., General.-Jardine, Matheson & Co. PEKING, German steamer, 954 F. Schulz, 6th

Jan.,-Whampon 6th January, General.-Siemssen & Co. PHU-QUOC, French steamer, 183, Vallin, 29th Sept.,-Touron 20th Sept., Coals.-Wing

PICCIOLA, German steamer, 875, Tb. Nissen, 12th January,-Bangkok 29th Dec., Rice.-Melchers & Co.

POLLUX, German steamer, 891, H. Hellmers, 13th Jan, Saigon 5th Jan., General.

Melchers & Co. PROPONTIS, British steamer, 1,387, Wm. H. Farrand, 15th Jan ... Kutchinotzu 11th Jan., Coals and General.-Mitsui Bussan Kaisha. TAILEE, German steamer, 828, Schuldt, 15th

Jan.,-Nagasaki 10th January, General,-Morris & Ray. Wingsang, British steamer, 1,517, A. de Ste. Croix, 7th Jan.,-Calcutta 20th December,

Penang 26th, and Singapore 29th, General. -Jardine, Matheson & Co. BAYERN, German steamer, 2,877, F. Mergell, 17th Jan,-Shanghai 15th Jan., Mails and General.-Melchers & Co.

BAILING VESSELS. ALTCAR, British bark, 1,283, R. Magrath, 14th Jan.,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 29th Nov., Coals. -Butterfield & Swire.

Ballast.--Russell & Co. COLOMA, American bark, 843, C. M. Noyes, 9th

8th Nov., Lumber.—Order.

HONGKONG-SAILING VESSELS. Continued.

CONQUEROR, American ship, 1,540, A. D. Lothrop, 17th June,—Anjer 1st June, Ballast.—Reuter, Brockelmann & Co. CUMBRIAN, British ship, 1,052, A. Waycott,

22nd Nov .. - Middlesbro 2nd Iron and Cake. -Dunn, Melbye & Co. EMPRESE, British bark, 236, Wm. A. H. Allen, 19th Dec.,-Freemantle 17th Nov., Sandalwood.—Siemssen & Co.

Escort, American bark, 636, R. G. Waterhouse, 10th Jan.,-Rajang 10th Dec., Timber.-

GEORGIETTA, American bark, 436, F. Kartie, 2nd Jan.,—Albany, W.A., 16th Nov., Sandalwood.—Gilman & Co. GREAT ADMIRAL, American ship, 1,497, J. F.

Rowell, 30th Nov.,-San Francisco 8th Oct., Flour.-Melchers & Co. Per Benlawers, str., from Singapore.-195 HANS, German schooner, 120, G. A. Hansen, 2nd Dec.,-Matupi 25th Sept., General,-

Blackhead & Co. HEINRICH, German bark, 929, G. Bliesener, 11th Dec.,-Hamburg 13th July, General.-Carlowitz & Co.

CEBERG, American ship, 1,135, Treat, 22nd Dec,-New York 18th July, Kerosene Oil. -Jardine, Matheson & Co.

[SABEL, Norwegian bark, 1,265, S. Hegge, 14th Dec.,-Shanghai oth Dec., Ballast.-Order. OHANN KREMER, German schooner, 280, H. Eggers, 13th Jan.,-Amoy 11th January, Ballast.-Order.

. W. FILDERICH, German ship, 1,108, G. Meyer, 4th Dec.,-Newcastle 26th Oct., Coals .-The British steamship Tannadice reports that | KITTY, British bark, 802, H. Wilson, 30th Aug.,

-Portland, Oregon oth July, Lumber.-D. Musso & Co. TILLIE BAKER, American bark, Carty, 22nd

Dec.,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 2nd Nov., Conl.

TORDE, Hawaiian bark, 750, M. Moresca, 21st Dec.,-Albany, W.A., 9th Nov., Sandalwood.-Order.

OSAKAPSritish bark, 517, T. Jones, 20th Dec.,-Albany 16th Nov., Sandalwood.—Order. REMBRANDT, American ship, 1,343, J. D. Paine, 22nd Dec.,-New York 1st August, Kerosenc Oil.—Russell & Co.

STATE OF MAINE, American ship, 1,467, Nickels, 19th Dec.,-New York 4th August, Petroleum.—Gibb, Livingston & Co. S. MENDEL, British bank, 1,317, Gower, 21st

Dec.,-Whampoa 21st Dec., General.--Wieler & Co. SUMATRA, British bark, 740, John Rea, 16th Jan,—Gorontalo 17th Dec., Ebony and Rattans.—Ed. Schellhass & Co.

SWAN, American brig, 250, Baade, 25th Dec., -Yap (Caroline Islands) 16th Dec., Ballast. -Moore and Siemund. TARAPACA, British bark, 496, Kennett, 16th Jan., -Souarbaya 16th Dec., Timber.-Gibb,

WARATAH, British bark, 202, W. Krause, 15th Jan.,-Albany. 25th Nov., Sandalwood.-Amhold, Karberg & Co. W. H. LINCOLN, American ship, 1,675, M. J Daly, 12th Jan.,-Yokohama 27th Dec.

Kerosene Oil.—Russell & Co.

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STEAMERS EXPECTED IN HONGKONG. STEAMERS. DATE DUE. AGENTS. FROM. Kashgar ...... Bombay ...... January 18th ...... P. & O. S. N. Co. Hector...... Liverpool ...... January 18th ...... Butterfield & Swire. Hesperia...... Siemssen & Co. Peninsular ..... London ..... . January 20th ...... P. & O. S. N. Co. Titan ..... Liverpool ..... January 22nd ...... Butterfield & Swire. Airlie ........ Port Darwin......... January 24th ....... Russell & Co. Lombardy ........... Bombay............ January 31st ........... P. & O. S. N. Co.

#### STEAMERS LOADING IN HONGKONG.

London, &c., via Suez Canal London, via Suez Canal Marseilles, via Saigon, &c. Bremen, via Ports of Call. Havre, London, &c. Havre & Hamburg, &c. San Francisco, via Y'hama San Francisco, via Y'hama Vancouver, B.C., via I., &c. Port Darwin, &c. Sandakan, Kudat, &c. Sandakan, Kudat, &c. Sandakan, Vandan, via Nag, &c. Kobe and Yokohama Nagasaki, Kobe, &c. Shanghai  Clyde.  P. & O. S. N. Co. Butterfield & Swire.  Jan. 29th, at noo Butterfield & Swire. Jan. 22td, at noo To-morrow, at 10 Adamson, Bell & Co. Adamson, Bell & Co. Siemssen & Co. Jan. 29th, at noo Butterfield & Swire. Jan. 22td, at noo Bell. Co. Adamson, Bell & Co. Siemssen & Co. Jan. 24th, at 10 Butterfield & Swire. Jan. 23td, at 1p. Butterfield & Swire. January 23td. Jan. 24th, at 4p. January 31st. January 31st. January 23td. January 24th. About Jan. 18th. January 22td. Bell & Co. Siemssen & Co. Butterfield & Swire. January 23td. January 23td. January 24th. About Jan. 18th. January 24th. About Jan. 18th. January 24th. P. & O. S. N. Co. January 24th. January 24th. Quick despatch.				
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Sydney, Melbourne, &c Tannadice				
Sandakan, Kudat, &c Memnon			·	
Yokohama, via Nag., &c Ancona				
Kobe and Yokohama Benlawers Gibb, Livingston & Co. About Jan. 18th.  Nagasaki, Kobe, &c Hector Butterfield & Swire January 20th.  Shanghai, via Amoy Titan Butterfield & Swire January 24th.  P. & O. S. N. Co Quick despatch.				
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